Townsend Rd. 100' W of Mace Ave. \* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

\* Case No. 90-65-SPHA Charles Roger Dennison, et ux Petitioners \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* SECOND AMENDED ORDER

WHEREAS, the Petitioners requested a special hearing to approve that the use of the subject property for bible study constituted a church and that said church complies to the extent possible with RTA use requirements, and variances for an existing dwelling, in accordance with the plan submitted and identified as Petitioner's Exhibit 1;

WHEREAS, the relief requested was granted on January 4, 1990, subject to restrictions;

WHEREAS, Counsel for Petitioners requested an extension of time in which to comply with Restriction No. 2 of said Order;

WHEREAS, an extension of 120 days was granted by Amended Order on February 12, 1990;

WHEREAS, Counsel for Petitioners has requested a second extension of time for Petitioners to comply with Restriction No. 2 and has advised the Deputy Zoning Commissioner that Petitioners are diligently pursuing this matter in good faith;

IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this WWO day of June, 1990 that Restriction No. 2 of the Order issued January 4, 1990 be and the same is hereby AMENDED to allow Petitioners an additional one hundred-twenty (120) days from the date of this Second Amended Order in which to comply with said restriction.

/ MNo feeris ANN M. NASTAROWICZ Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

cc: Addressees Attached

Second Americad Order SPHA for Dennison Case No. 90-65-SPHA

cc: Thomas P. Dore, Esquire 614 Bosley Avenue, Towson, Md. 21204 Mr. & Mrs. H. Clyde Merchant

328 Townsend Road, Baltimore, Hd. 21221 Mr. & Mrs. Thomas B. Simmons 330 Townsend Road, Baltimore, Md. 21221

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People's Counsel

PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND ZONING VARIANCE - N/S Town-\* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER send Rd., 100' W of Mace Ave. (336 Townsend Road) \* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 15th Election District 5th Councilmanic District \* Case No. 90-65-SPHA Charles Roger Dennison, et ux Petitioners

AMENDED ORDER

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WHEREAS, the relief requested was granted, subject to restrictions, on January 4, 1990;

WHEREAS, Counsel for Petitioners requested an extension of time in which to comply with Re riction No. 2 of said Order;

IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this day of February, 1990 that Restriction No. 2 of the Order issued January 4, 1990 be and the same is hereby AMENDED to allow Petitioners one hundred-twenty (120) days from the date of this Amended Order to comply with the conditions set forth in Restriction No. 2.

> 1 MN-oken ANN M. NASTAROWICZ Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

cc: See Attached List of Addressees

Amended Order SPHA for Dennison Case No. 50-65-SPHA

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IN RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING \* BEFORE THE AND ZONING VARIANCE - N/S TOWNsend Rd., 100' W of Mace Ave. \* DEPUTY ZONING COMMISSIONER (336 Townsend Road) 15th Election District 5th Councilmanic District Charles Roger Dennison, et ux Petitioners

\* OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

\* Case No. 90-65-SPHA \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

The Petitioners herein request a special hearing to approve that the use of the subject residential property for bible study constitutes a church and that said church complies to the extent possible with R.T.A. use requirements; and variances to permit a front yard setback of 25 feet in lieu of the required 40 feet and side yard setbacks of 8.5 feet and 15 feet, respectively, in lieu of the required 20 feet for both, all as more particularly described in Petitioner's Exhibit 1.

The Petitioners appeared, testified and were represented by Thomas P. Dore, Esquire. Appearing as Protestants in the matter were H. Clyde and Sadie E. Merchant, Thomas B. and Veronica Simmons, and Frank and Mildred Coxon, Sr., all residential property owners in the neighborhood.

Testimony indicated that the subject property, known as 336 Townsend Road, consists of 10,000 sq.ft., zoned D.R. 5.5 and is improved with a single family dwelling currently used as a private residence and for worship services and bible study meetings for the Crusaders for Christ Ministry, Inc., of which Mr. Dennison is the minister. Petitioners testified they have lived on the subject property since November 1983 at which time they rented the property until approximately January 1989 when they D D D purchased the subject site. Testimony and documentation submitted indicated that Petitioners are members of Crusaders for Christ Ministry, Inc.,

organized in the State of Maryland in 1983 as a "religious corporation." Mr. Dennison testified that he is an ordained minister through the Gates of Christ Church out of Newport News, Virginia. He testified that since March, 1985, he has conducted various bible study and "worship services" at the subject site. Originally, the bible study meetings consisted of the Petitioners holding bible study meetings in the living room with Mrs. Dennison's mother who resides with them, their neice who is now 14 years of age and also resides with them, their son, who at that time was 33 and resided off the premises, and a friend of his. Mr. Dennison testified they would take a chapter of the bible and after reading the verses, each member would expound upon its meaning. Subsequently, testimony indicated that the Petitioners improved their basement to hold bible study meetings and worship services. Testimony indicated that at the present time, there is a bible study group which meets on Monday evenings and whose participants include the 4 residents of the home to as many as 16 individuals. Testimony indicated that many of the individuals coming to the home are relatives of the Petitioners. On Thursday and Sunday evenings, a worship service is held consisting of opening prayer, and thereafter inviting prayer requests, singing of hymns, bible readings and reflections. Testimony indicated that the maximum number of people who attend at this time is anywhere from 16 to 18, including the residents of the home. Eight of the individuals are members of the church, with the occasional attendance of 8 to 10 additional persons who are non-members. Additionally, on Sunday mornings there is Sunday School at 10:00 AM with worship service at 11:00 AM which only draws one other person from the outside.

Mr. Dennison testified that the subject dwelling was constructed sometime in the 1940s with the only exterior change being that of an addi-

tional exterior exit from the basement as required after an inspection of the premises by the Fire Department. Petitioners testified they contacted the Fire Department on their own to insure that the use of the basement for worship services was not a safety hazard. Petitioners testified that the existing setbacks for the home are those that were in effect at the time of its construction and prior to the effective date of the zoning regulations. Petitioners argued that denying the requested variances would result in practical difficulty and unreasonable hardship to them without any benefit to the heatlh, safety or general weflare of the commu-Petitioners further contend that the subject property meets the requirements of the residential transition area regulations as completely as possible. Subsequent to the hearing in further support of their position, Petitioners submitted corporate documentation verifying the recognition of Crusaders for Christ, Inc. as a non-profit corporation in good standing by the Department of Assessments and Taxation and a site plan depicting landscaping which has been submitted to the Baltimore County Landscape Planner for approval. Petitioners shall supply information verifying recognition by the Internal Revenue Service that the Crusaders for Christ, Inc. is a religious non-profit corporation.

The Protestants initially questioned whether Petitioners were proposing to construct an addition to the existing dwelling for use as a church as the hearing notice referenced the issuance of permits. The Protestants were advised there would be no exterior changes to the existing dwelling. The Protestants expressed concern as to Petitioners' placing a sign on the property as apparently a few years ago, the Petitioners had placed a large, lighted sign in the front of the property. After complaints from the neighbors, the sign was removed. The Petitioners agreed there

would be no exterior signs for the church. Further, the Protestants were concerned that the number of individuals attending the services will increase thereby creating a parking problem greater than that already existing. Petitioners contend that generally the visitors to the church park either in one of the five spaces as set forth in Petitioner's Exhibit 1. in front of their house on the street, or in front of adjoining neighbors' homes without objection as evidenced by Petitioner's Exhibits 2A through 2C. The Protestants disagree and contend that on numerous occasions, parking by visitors to the subject property has occurred in front of their

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, it is clear that a practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship would result if the relief requested in the special hearing were not granted. In the opinion of the Deputy Zoning Commissioner, the testimony and evidence presented tends to show that the Petitioners shall comply with R.T.A. requirements to the extent possible and that the nature of the subject property and the use of the basement of the existing dwelling as a church for bible study meetings and worship services, as restricted hereinafter, is compatible with the character of the surrounding residential properties. The Petitioners have met their burden on the issue of the Petition for Special Hearing and therefore, the relief requested herein should be granted, subject to restrictions as more particularly described below.

An area variance may be granted where strict application of the zoning regulations would cause practical difficulty to the Petitioner and his property. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973). To prove practical difficulty for an area variance, the Petitioner must meet the following:

> 1) whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for a

permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily burdensome;

2) whether the grant would do substantial injustice to applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give substantial relief; and

3) whether relief can be granted in such fashion that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and public safety and welfare secured.

Anderson v. Bd. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28 (1974).

It is clear from the testimony that if the variance is granted, such use as proposed would not be contrary to the spirit of the B.C.Z.R. and would not result in substantial detriment to the public he-l+h, safety, and general welfare. The variances requested do not change the physical layout of the dwelling constructed in the 1940s, and other than the exterior basement side entrance which was added for fire safety code requirements, the dwelling is compatible with the surrounding homes.

Pursuant to the advertisement posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above, the special hearing and variances should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore Count this \_\_\_\_\_day of January, 1990 that the Petition for Zoning Variance to permit a front yard setback of 25 feet in lieu of the Dequired 40 feet and side yard setbacks of 8.5 feet and 15 feet, respectively, in lieu of the required 20 feet for both, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED; and,

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the use of the subject residential property for bible study and worship services constitutes a church and that said church complies to the extent possible with R.T.A. use requirements, and as such, the Petition for Special Hearing is GRANTED, subject, however, to the following restrictions which are conditions precedent to the relief granted:

> 1) The Peticioners may apply for their occupancy permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until such time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioners would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

> 2) Within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order Petitioners shall submit proof of recognition by the Internal Revenue Service that Crusaders for Christ Ministry, Inc. is a tax exempt, non-profit religious corporation.

> 3) The relief granted herein is conditioned upon Crusaders for Christ Ministry, Inc. maintaining good status with the State of Maryland and the Internal Revenue Service as a tax exempt, non-profit religious corporation and Petit oners shall submit proof of such on an annual basis to the Zoning Commissioner's Office within thirty (30) days upon receipt of request.

> 4) The special hearing granted herein is limited to the use of the basement of the dwelling on the subject property by the Crusaders for Christ Ministry, Inc. as a church with all other portions of the dwelling used for residential purposes only. Further, the relief granted herein is limited to one weekday evening worship service and/or bible study meeting, ending no later than 9:30 PM, and Sunday services, with Sunday School beginning no earlier than 9:00 AM and worship services ending no later than 9:00 PM.

> 5) At no time shall there be greater than 20 people attending services or bible study meetings on the subject property at any one time. Petitioners shall keep accurate records of its membership, meeting dates and times, and attendance and shall, upon reasonable notice, permit a representative of the Zoning Office to review same and inspect the subject property to insure compliance with the terms and conditions of this Order.

6) Petitioners shall landscape the property in a manner determined appropriate by the Baltimore County Landscape Planner to insure there is an adequate buff-

er and transition area between the subject property and adjoining properties. An approved landscape plan shall be submitted to the Zoning Commissioner's Office for inclusion in the case file within forty-five (45) days of the date of this Order.

7) There shall be no extra signs on the property other than those permitted as of right for identification of the use of the property as a residence.

8) When applying for a building permit, the site plan and landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

/\_MNo from in ANN M. NASTAROWICZ Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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Deputy Zoning Commissioner for

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111 W. Chesapeake Avenue

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EDWARD C. COVAHEY, JR.

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February 5, 1990 HAND DELIVERED

ZONING OFFICE

RE: ZONING PETITION CASE NO.: 90-65 SPHA 336 TOWNSEND ROAD CHARLES R. DENNISON, ET UX.

COVAHEY & BOOZER, P. A. ATTORNEYS AT LAW 614 BOSLEY AVENUE

TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

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Dear Ms. Nastarowicz:

Ann M. Nastarowicz

Baltimore County

Pursuant to your Order of November 4, 1989 in the abovecaptioned action, my clients have undertaken to file for status as a tax exempt organization with the Internal Revenue Service. Upon receipt of the Order, my clients immediately contacted the Internal Revenue Service and were advised that the necessary paperwork was being forwarded to them, however, as of this date they have not received the paperwork. They were further advised that the time frame in which the IRS takes to review this matter and to grant tax exempt status would not be in compliance with your Order. Accordingly, I would request that you consider an extension of time in which to receive our approval as a tax exempt organization.

I have enclosed herewith a copy of the approved Landscape Plan which is to be filed pursuant to your Order of January 4. Thank you for your consideration.

> Very truly yours, Thomas P. Dore

TPD/cab

cc: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennison

PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING & VARIANCE TO THE ZONING COMMISSIONER OF BALTIMORE COUNTY:

The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Baltimore County and which is described in the description and plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby petition for a Special Hearing under Section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, to determine when the section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations, to determine when the section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner should approve the section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner should approve the section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner should approve the section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning Commissioner should approve the section 500.7 of the Baltimore County Zoning County ther or not the Zoning Commissioner and/or Deputy Zoning Commissioner should approve \_by\_\_\_ determining that the existing use of bible study is a church & to determine that a church (in a home) meets compliance to the extent possible with B.T.A. use requirements. SECTION 1B02.2.B (V.B.2 CMDP) -- to allow a front yard setback of 25 ft. and side yard setbacks of 81 1 15 ft. in lieu of the

required\_40\_ft\_\_\_20\_ft\_\_&\_20\_ft\_\_respectively.----Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations. I, c. we, agree to pay expenses of the above Special Hearing advertising, posting, etc., upon fil-ing of this Petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restriction. tions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

under the penalties of perjury, that I/we are the legal owner(s) of the property which is the subject of this Petition. Legal Owner(s) Contract Purchaser: Charles RogES DEANISON (Type or Print Name)

Charles P. Dennison FLEANOR C. DENNISON

City and State Attorney for Petitioner: (Type or Print Name)

Name, address and phone number of legal owner, contract purchaser or representative to be contacted City and State

19\_87, that the subject matter of this petition be advertised, as required by the Zoning Law of Baltimore County, in two newspapers of general circulation throughout Baltimore County, that property be posted, and that the public hearing be had before the Zoning

AVAILABLE FOR HEARING

FRANK S. LEE Registered Land Surveyor

1277 NEIGHBORS AVE. — BALTIMORE, MD. 21237

April 12, 1989

No. 336 Townsend Road Lot 72, Section "E", Back River Highlands, 4/64 & 65 15th District Baltimore County, Maryland

Beginning for the same on the northeast side of Townsend Road at the distance of 1000 feet measured northwesterly along the northeast side of Townsend Road from the west side of Mace Avenue thence running and binding on the northeast side thereof North 64 degrees 16 minutes 17 seconds West 50 feet, thence leaving Townsend Road for three lines of division as follows: North 25 degrees 43 minutes 43 seconds East 200 feet, South 64 degrees 16 minutes 17 seconds East 50 feet and South 25 degrees 43 minutes 43 seconds West 200 feet to the place of beginning.

Containing 10,000 square feet of land:

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TOWSON, MD. 21204

Ann M. Nastarowicz, Esquire Deputy Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County Office of Zoning Baltimore County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: Petition for Special Hearing on Zoning Variance 336 Townsend Road Case No.: 90-65-SPHA

Dear Ms. Nastarowicz:

As you may recall this office represents Charles and Eleanor Dennison, Petitioners in the above captioned matter. The Dennisons petitioned for a Special Hearing to approve the use of their residence for a bible study church. Restriction No. 2 of your Order granting the variance requested that they supply proof of the recognition by the Internal Revenue Service that their corporation is a tax exempt non-profit religious corporation. My clients have applied for this recognition, however, they advised me on May 29, 1990 that as of that date they had not received the recognition from the Internal Revenue Service, however, they are diligently pursuing the letter of publication which will give their corporation the required status.

My clients advise me that in the spirit of cooperation with the Zoning Office, they undertook negotiations and have now been permitted to use the Del Mar Baptist Church located at 2925 Del Mar Avenue, Edgemere, Maryland for services on a temporary basis. My clients have advised me that the Del Mar Baptist Church has agreed to let them use their facility until August 1, 1990, and as such, my client would ask that you again extend the period by which they can meet the requirements of Restriction No. 2 of your January 4, 1990 Order. While I recognize this matter has drawn on for some considerable length of time, I can assure you that my clients are honestly and conscientiously pursuing the letter of publication

Ann M. Nastarowicz, Esquire May 31, 1990 Page 2

from the Internal Revenue Service. As you know, occasionally, the bureaucracy slows things down to the point where that individual can have no control. Your consideration in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

cc: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dennison 5`bjs.146

BALTIMORE, MD. 21221

Attorney's Telephone No.: \_\_\_\_\_ ORDERED By The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, this \_\_\_\_\_day

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CRUSADER'S FOR CHRIST MINISTRY

P.O. Box 7883 Baltimore, MD 21221 (301) 391-6170

October 17, 1989

To Whom It May Concern:

At the request of Reverend Charles R. Dennison, 336 Townsend Road, I have been asked to provide this statement concerning activities at their residence.

I have been a neighbor of the Dennison's ever since they started having meetings on a weekly basis.

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Please disregard any other petition I may have signed. I did not fully understand what it was about.

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PETITIONER(S) SIGN-IN SHEET PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

THOMAS P. DORE Att for Pet 1 tioner

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Sincerely,

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October 27, 1989

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Ann Nastarowicz Deputy Zoning Commissioner 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Room 109

Towson, Maryland 21204 RE: CASE NO.: 9065 SPHA

Dear Ms. Nastarowicz:

At the hearing on the above matter you requested that my office submit a Landscape Plan for the site with respect to the above. Please treat this as a request for an additional fifteen (15) days to submit the Plan.

I have enclosed herewith the documentation with respect to Mr. Dennison's ordination as a minister. I have also enclosed a copy of the Articles of Incorporation for the Dennison religious corporation.

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours, More Thomas P. Dore

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November 6, 1989 ZONING OFFICE

Ann Nastarowicz Deputy Zoning Commissioner 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Room 109 Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: VARIANCE PETITION 336 TOWNSON ROAD CASE NO.: 9065 SPHA

Dear Ms. Nastarowicz:

Enclosed please find a copy of the Certificate of Good Standing for the Dennisons' corporation as well as a copy of their State Tax Exempt Card. It is my understanding that they are in the process of .ctempting to obtain federal tax exempt status. This request is scheduled to be filed at the close of this tax year. I have also enclosed herewith a copy of their Sederal I.D. Number.

If you need any additional information, please advise.

Very truly yours,

Thomas P. Dore

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O REPLY TO:

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506 BALTIMORE AVE.

HAND DELIVERED

Ann Nastarowicz, Esquire Deputy Zoning Commissioner 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue Room 109

Towson, Maryland 21204 RE: VARIANCE PETITIC. 336 TOWNSON ROAD

CASE NO.: 9065 SPHA Dear Ms. Nastarowicz:

Enclosed please find copy of the Landscape Plan which was submitted to Mr. Avery Harden of the Office of Current Planning. Mr. Harden advised that he wanted to obtain your comments prior to advising my office of any changes which he would require. I have submitted this to you in an effort to satisfy the previous extension granted to file this information.

Please advise if you have had an opportunity to review this matter with Mr. Harden, and if not, please treat this as a request for an additional extension pending Mr. Harden's comments on the Plan.

Very truly yours,

TPD/cab 13 cb.10

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GTATE OF MARYLAND

STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION

OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT SAID DEPARTMENT, BY THE LAWS OF SAID STATE, IS THE CUSTODIAN OF THE RECORDS OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE FORFEITURE OR SUSPENSION OF CORPORATE CHARTERS, OR OF CORPORATIONS TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THIS STATE; AND I AM THE PROPER OFFICER TO EXECUTE THIS CERTIFICATE.

I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT CRUSADERS FOR CHRIST MINISTRY, INC. IS A CORPORATION DULY INCORPORATED AND EXISTING UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AND SAID CORPORATION HAS FILED ALL THE LAWS OF ANNUAL REPORTS REQUIRED, HAS NO OUTSTANDING LATE FILING PENALTIES ON THOSE REPORTS, AND HAS A RESIDENT AGENT. THEREFORE, THE CORPORATION IS AT THE TIME OF THIS CERTIFICATE IN GOOD STANDING WITH THIS DEPARTMENT AND DULY AUTHORIZED TO EXERCISE ALL THE POWERS RECITED IN ITS CHARTER OR CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION, AND TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND AFFIXED THE SEAL OF THE STATE DEFARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE THIS SOTH DAY DE OCTOBER, 1989.

OFFICE SUPERVISOR II

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August 31, 1989

J. Robert Haines Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County Office of Planning and Zoning Baltimore County Office Building 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue, Room 109 Towson, Maryland 21204

ZONING OFFICE

SEP 1 1989

RE: PETITION FOR SPECIAL HEARING AND VARIANCE 90-65-SPHA PROPERTY OWNERS: CHARLES AND ELEANOR DENNISON

Dear Mr. Haines:

Please enter the appearance of Thomas P. Dore, Edward C. Covahey, Jr., and Covahey & Boozer, P.A. on behalf of the petitioners in the above-captioned matter.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours, Thomas P. Dore

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90-65-5144 CERTIFICATE OF POSTING ZONING DEPARTMENT OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Date of Posting 8/13/89 Posted for: Special Heaving + Various Charles Roger Dennisen, etux Location of property: 11/5 Townson & R& 1000' W/ Marster 336 Towsond Rd. Fecing Townson Rd, approx 10' Fr. 200 & Worg

For assistance you may

9.2-2590-LOCAL BALTIMORE 488-3162 DIST: OF COL 1-800-424-1040 OTHER HD

or you may write to us at the

address shown to the left. If you

write, be sure to attach the bottom

part of this notice.

90-65-5714 CERTIFICATE OF POSTING ZONING DEPARTMENT OF BALTIMORE COUNTY

Posted for: 512-cco/ Steering & Voring & Voring & Posting 9/29/89

Petitioner: Chorles Ruger Dennison, of ux Location of property: N/S Townson & RJ. 1000' W/Mer. Ara 336 Tourns A-4 Location of Signer Focity Towson & Are, ofprox, 10' Fr 400 dway on proporty of letitioner

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NOTICE OF HEARING

336 Townsend Road 15th Election District

Special Hearing: Determining tank the existing use of bible studies a church and to determine the

fi. respectively.
In the event that this Petition is granted, a building permit may be incued within the thirty (30) day PROTESTANT(S) SIGN-IN SHEET

FRANK COXON SR. 326 TOWNSENS PUL.

CRUSADERS FOR CHRIST MINISTRY INC = X REV CHARLES RADENNISON 336-TOWNSEND RD BALTIMORE MD 21221

return the bottom portion of this notice indicating the changes.

Notice of New Employer Identification Number Assigned

Thank you for your Form SS-4. Application for Employer Identification Number (EIN). The number assigned to you is shown above. This number will be used to identify your business account and related tax returns and documents,

Please keep a copy of this number in your permanent records. IRS uses the information provided on Form SS-4 to

establish your taxpaying entity. Entity information includes your EIN, business name, trade name, street address, city,

and/or coupon. However, if this is not possible, your EIN and complete entity information as shown below must be used

CRUSADERS FOR CHRIST MINISTRY INC

If your business is a partnership which must obtain prior approval for its tax year, the tax year you entered in Block

3 of your Form SS-4 does not establish a tax year. For guidance in determining if you must request prior approval and

Please note that the assignment of this number does not grant tax-exempt status to nonprofit organizations, Any organization (other than a private foundation) having annual gross receipts normally of not more than \$5,000 is exempt

by statute if it meets the requirements of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. These organizations are not

required to file Form 1023 (Application for Recognition of Exemption) or file Form 990 (Return of Organization

Exempt from Income Tax). However, if the organization wants to establish its exemption with the Internal Revenue Service and receive a ruling or determination letter recognizing its exempt status, it should file Form 1023 with the Key

District Director. For details on how to apply for this exemption, see IRS Publication 557 Tay Evenne Comments of the Property of the Property

the method of doing so, see IRS Publication 538, Accounting Periods and Methods, available at most IRS offices.

PO BOX 7883 336 TOWNSEND RD

state and ZIP code. When filing tax documents or making FTD payments, it is important to use the IRS prepared label.

to properly identify your account and avoid processing delays. If for any reason this information is not correct, please

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CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Requisitions of Baltimore County will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in Floom 106 of the County Office Building, located at 111 W. Chesapeake Avenue in Townson, Haryland 21204 as follows: TOWSON, MD., August 3 , 1989 THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper printed Petition for Special Hearing and Zoning Vertance Case number: 90-65-SPHA NS Townsend Road, 1000; W of Mace Avenue and published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., appearing on August 3 , 1989 et ux Hearing Date: Wednesday, Aug. 30, 1989 at 9:30 a.m. THE JEFFERSONIAN,

> PO 15117 rez M31069 cs 90-65-SPHA

appeal period. The Zoning Com-missioner will, however, entertain any request for a stay of the is-suance of said permit during this period for good cause shown. Such request must be in writing and received in this office by the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County 8/007 August 3.

price \$ 47.28







